Subject: Crime Prevention Programs for Students and Employees

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I. PURPOSE
Provide Crime Prevention Programs on personal safety and theft prevention

II. DEFINITIONS

A. A Crime Prevention Program is a program that educates and assists students and staff on personal safety, crime prevention and awareness in the areas including, but not limited to: domestic/dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, hate crimes, other acts of violence, and thefts.

III. POLICY

Educational Programs on personal safety and crime prevention are sponsored by various organizations throughout the year. Shasta College Campus Safety personnel facilitate programs for student, parent, faculty, and new employee orientations, student organizations, in addition to programs for Residential Hall (dorm) advisors and students, providing a variety of educational strategies and tips on how to protect themselves from sexual assault, theft and other crimes.

Periodically during the academic year Shasta College Campus Safety facilitates a free self-defense course as well as a free presentation on domestic/dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, and hate crimes. These courses are offered to students and staff. Students and staff can check with Campus Safety for upcoming dates and times.

A common theme of all awareness and crime prevention programs is to encourage students and staff members to be aware of their responsibility for their own security and the security of others.

In addition to presentations, information is disseminated to students and staff members through crime prevention awareness brochures, alert posters, crime alert notification on the Campus Safety web page, and email.

When time is of the essence, information is released to the college community through security alerts posted throughout the campus, through computer memos sent over the college’s electronic mail system, voice over internet protocol system (VOIP), and an emergency cellular phone texting system (RAVE).

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